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PATENT

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In re application of: Andrew J. Boeckle, Dale W. Ploeger, Derrick J. Parks, and Diane Brannigan  
Application No.: 10/609.132 Group No.: Unassigned  
Filed: June 26, 2003 Examiner: Unknown  
For: CONTROLLING THE FLOW OF A POWDER

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|    | Original patent application           | \$770.00   |
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|    | Each independent claim in excess of 3 | \$172.00   |
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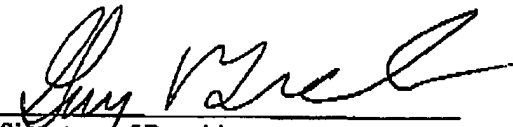
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